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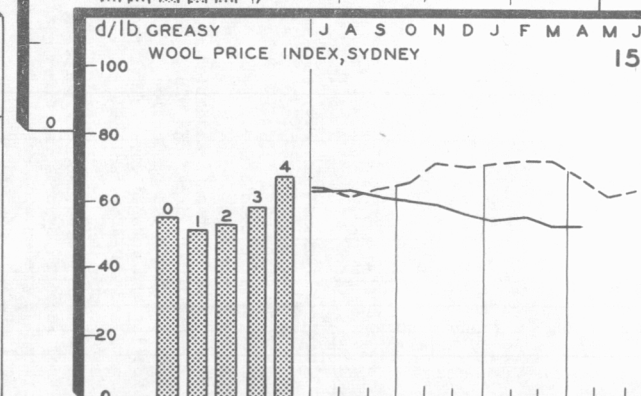
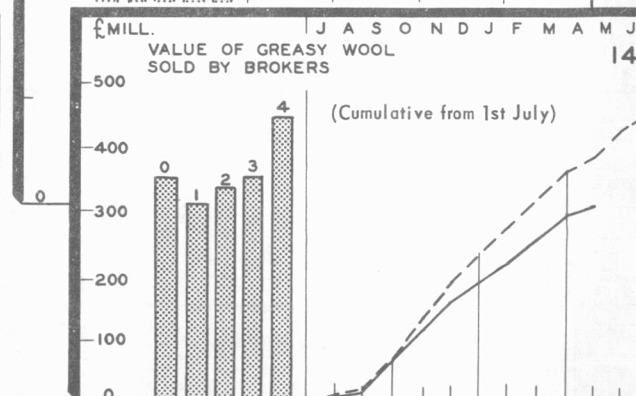
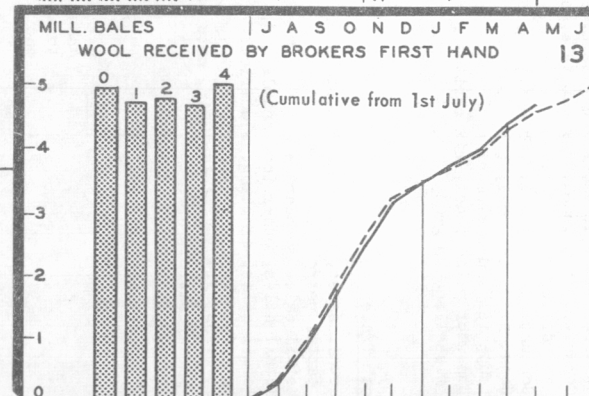
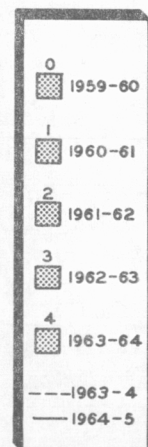
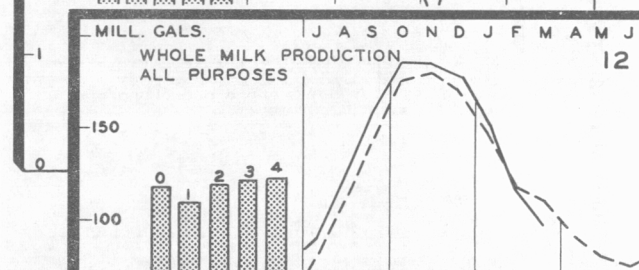
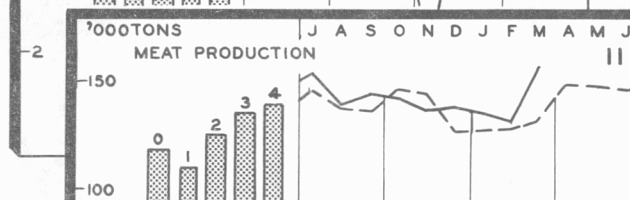
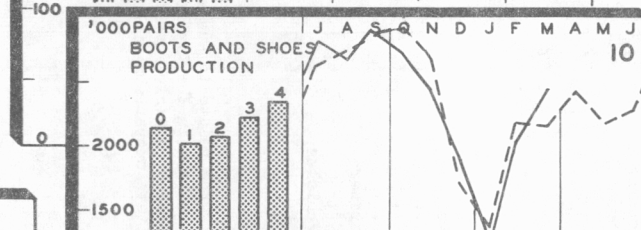
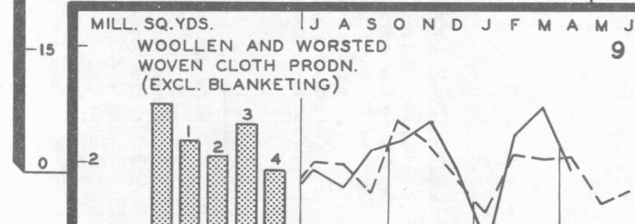
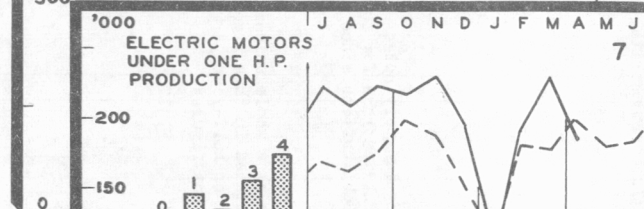
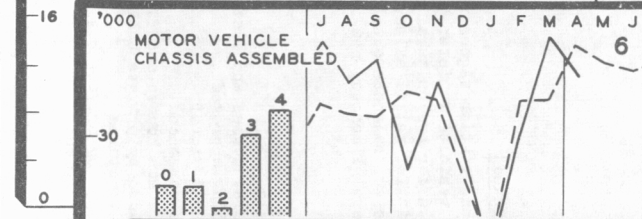
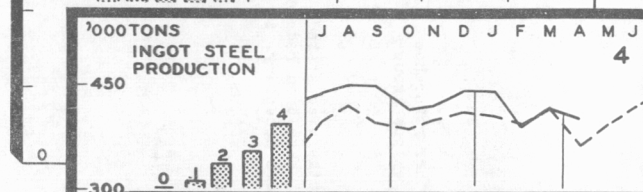
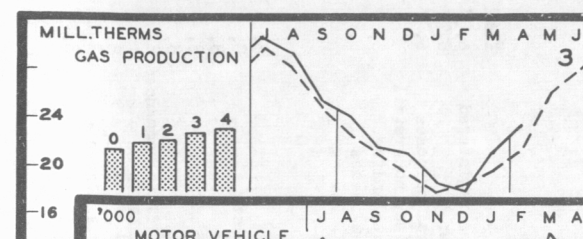
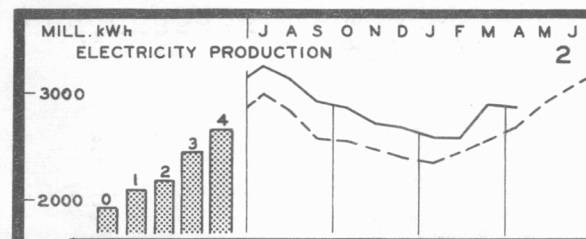
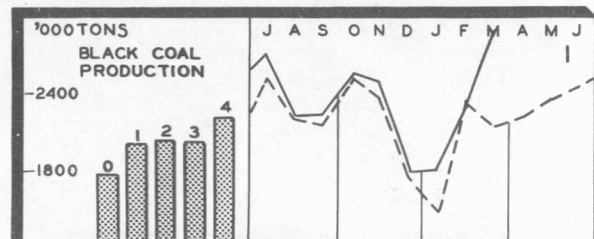
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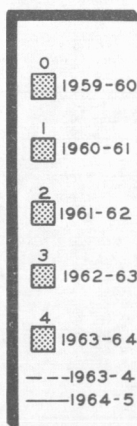
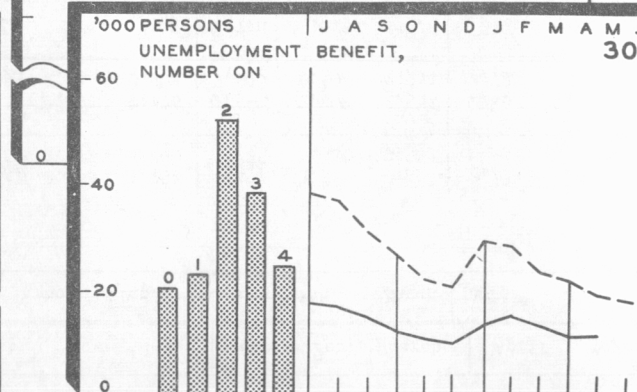
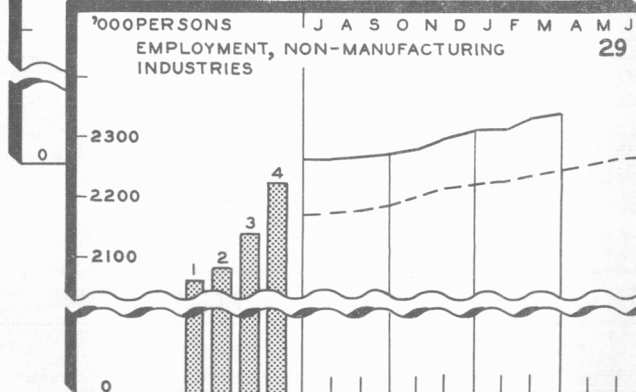
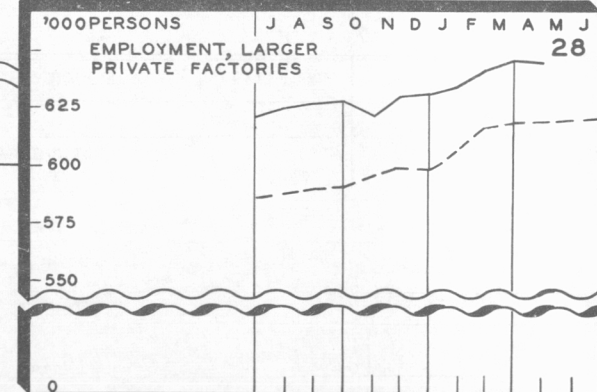
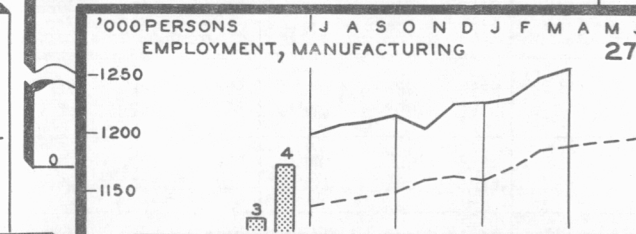
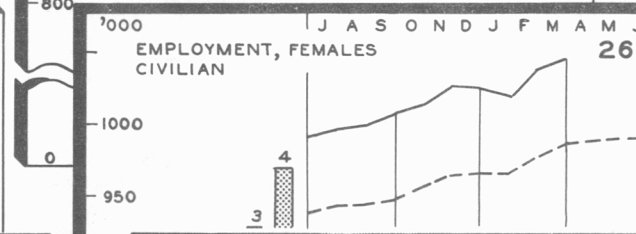
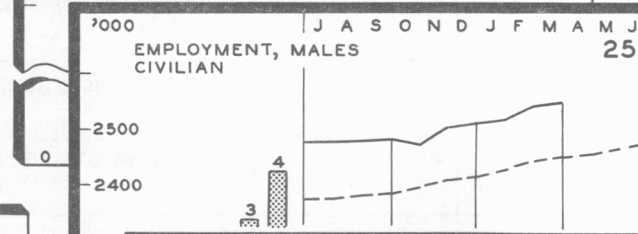
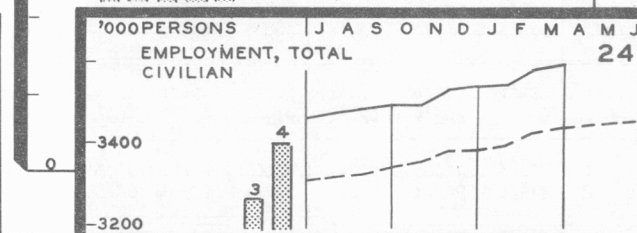
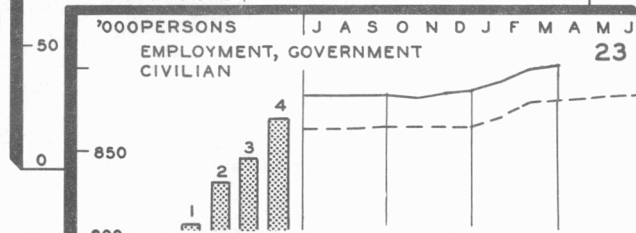
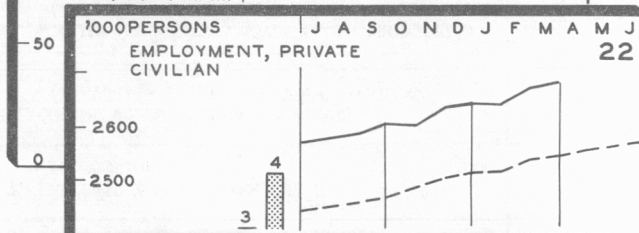
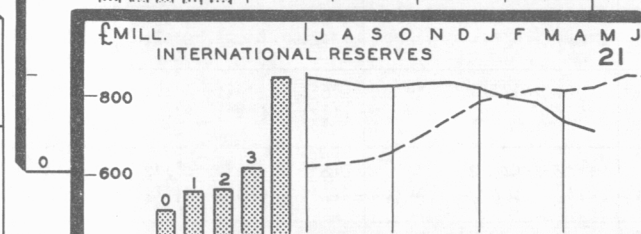
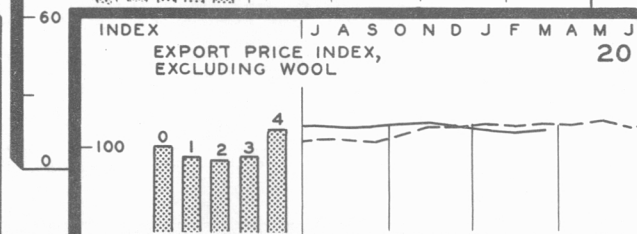
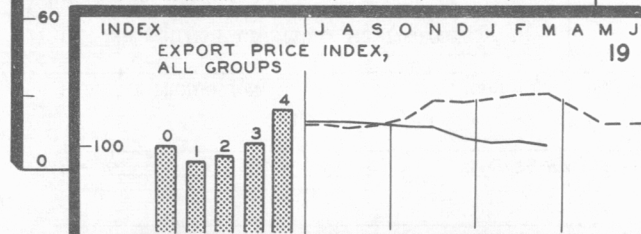
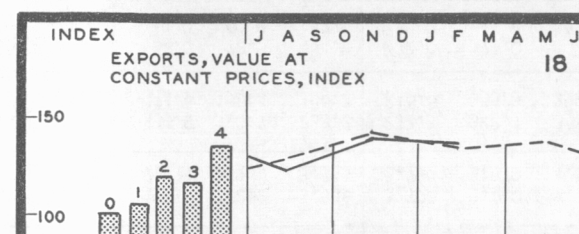
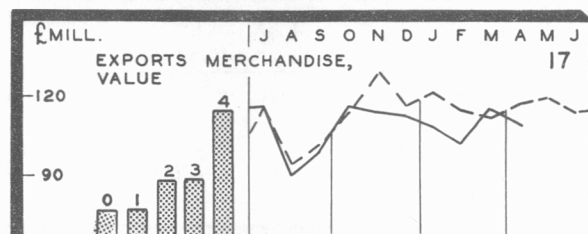
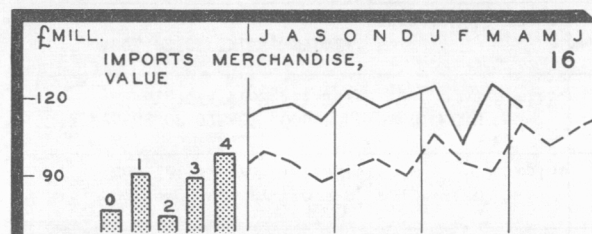
		1959-60	1960-61	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64		July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June
PRODUCTION, ETC.																			
1. BLACK COAL PRODUCTION	'000 tons	21,223	22,947	24,427	*24,301	*26,872	*1963-64 *1964-65	2,550 2,733	2,239 2,114	2,109 2,390	2,547 2,563	2,384 2,512	1,792 1,800	1,497 1,825	2,363 2,340	2,168 2,903	2,334	2,413	2,476
2. ELECTRICITY PRODUCTION	mill. kWh.	23,199	24,814	26,275	29,279	*32,125	*1963-64 *1964-65	3,021 3,340	2,869 3,201	2,610 2,957	2,574 2,899	2,492 2,745	2,406 2,704	2,367 2,608	2,452 2,599	2,581 2,914	2,697 2,899	2,941	3,115
3. GAS PRODUCTION	mill. therms	256.4	263.6	264.1	272.6	*277.3	*1963-64 *1964-65	30.0 30.8	28.2 29.3	24.8 25.3	22.4 24.2	21.1 21.4	19.2 21.0	17.6 18.7	18.5 18.2	19.6 21.2	21.6 23.3	26.0	28.3
4. INGOT STEEL PRODUCTION (a)	'000 tons	3,520	3,748	4,076	4,260	*4,755	*1963-64 *1964-65	401 439	426 450	398 447	386 415	402 421	409 443	407 440	397 395	414 441.8	366 404	397	421
5. CEMENT PRODUCTION	'000 tons	2,632	2,860	2,783	2,942	*3,322	*1963-64 *1964-65	264 293	292 321	266 320	297 340	277 325	252 295	212 240	268 288	305 359	298 317	299	292
6. MOTOR VEHICLE CHASSIS ASSEMBLED	'000	292.9	292.8	256.1	365.5	*400.5	*1963-64 *1964-65	33.9 41.1	33.1 36.2	32.7 39.0	35.8 26.3	34.6 36.3	26.0 28.4	17.2 16.1	34.7 29.8	34.8 41.8	40.7 37.5	38.8	38.2
7. ELECTRIC MOTORS UNDER ONE H.P., PRODUCTION	'000	1,583	1,751	1,618	1,846	*2,103	*1963-64 *1964-65	170.5 223.2	164.6 212.2	176.8 225.7	201.9 220.6	191.7 232.3	154.6 197.8	112.4 110.1	182.6 192.8	179.2 230.2	201.0 187.2	182.2	185.5
8. COTTON WOVEN CLOTH PRODUCTION (excluding Towels and Towelling)	'000 sq.yds	43,124	43,695	45,627	47,088	*53,096	*1963-64 *1964-65	4,312 5,078	4,210 4,942	4,151 5,527	4,605 5,648	4,578 4,845	3,618 4,357	3,121 1,914	4,687 4,353	4,925 4,829	4,924 4,541	4,824	5,141
9. WOOLLEN AND WORSTED WOVEN CLOTH PRODUCTION (excluding Blanketing)	'000 sq.yds	30,235	26,466	24,991	28,174	*23,572	*1963-64 *1964-65	2,017 1,983	2,010 1,812	1,771 2,142	2,399 2,195	2,186 2,344	1,882 1,981	1,608 1,344	2,110 2,273	2,068 2,492	2,072 1,950	1,662	1,787
10. BOOTS AND SHOES PRODUCTION	'000 pairs	25,629	24,307	25,214	26,687	*28,170	*1963-64 *1964-65	2,657 2,815	2,735 2,677	2,880 2,887	2,913 2,723	2,675 2,442	1,736 1,913	1,363 1,200	2,201 2,045	2,162 2,446	2,416	2,184	2,248
11. MEAT PRODUCTION	'000 tons	1,425.7	1,314.5	1,498.2	1,621.8	1,682.5	*1963-64 *1964-65	148.0 153.4	139.4 138.7	137.1 144.0	147.3 141.8	144.9 136.2	127.1 139.5	128.8 134.6	129.6 131.4	133.1 156.8	150.4	149.3	147.5
12. WHOLE MILK PRODUCTION, ALL PURPOSES	mill. gals.	1,407	1,339	1,444	1,471	1,491	*1963-64 *1964-65	82.4 91.5	111.0 124.1	142.9 158.2	176.8 187.1	180.2 186.7	171.1 178.1	147.8 153.2	117.5 117.5	112.2 98.6	91.5	81.4	76.3
13. WOOL RECEIVED BY BROKERS, FIRST HAND Cumulative from 1st July	'000 bales	4,926	4,715	4,798	4,693	4,996	1963-64 1964-65	349 317	944 896	1,765 1,704	2,651 2,474	3,262 3,148	3,546 3,533	3,700 3,730	3,940 3,979	4,293 4,394	4,596 4,669	4,815	4,996
14. VALUE OF GREASY WOOL SOLD BY BROKERS Cumulative from 1st July	£ mill.	356.1	311.4	335.9	357.5	445.0	1963-64 1964-65	12.0 10.8	25.9 23.7	71.6 71.0	133.9 114.6	190.7 159.4	233.7 188.2	273.3 216.8	322.1 253.9	359.6 292.7	389.8 302.5	420.8	445.0
15. WOOL PRICE INDEX, SYDNEY	pence per lb.greasy	56.3	51.5	54.1	58.3	68.0	1963-64 1964-65	64.0 63.0	62.0 63.0	63.0 62.0	66.0 61.0	72.0 60.0	71.0 57.0	72.0 55.0	73.0 56.0	73.0 *53.0	68.0 (b)53.0	62.0	63.0

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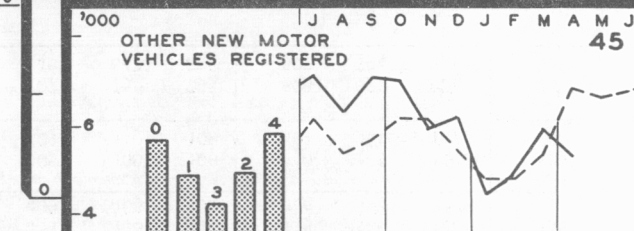
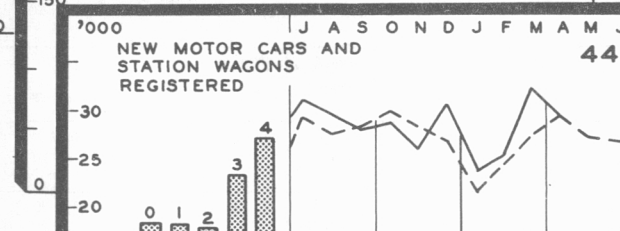
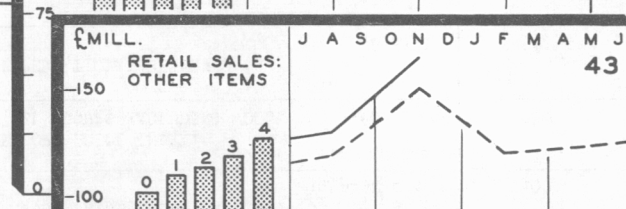
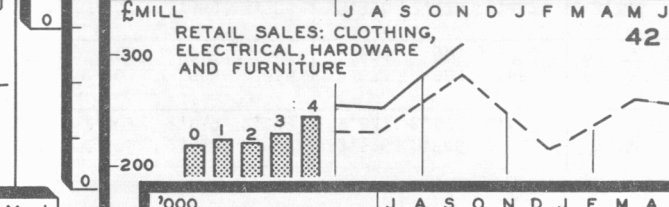
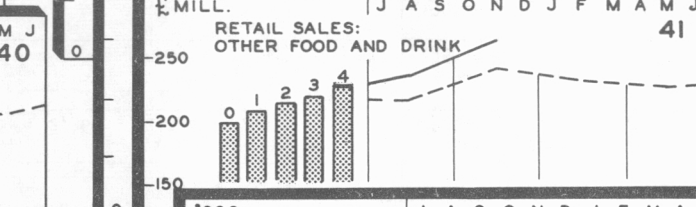
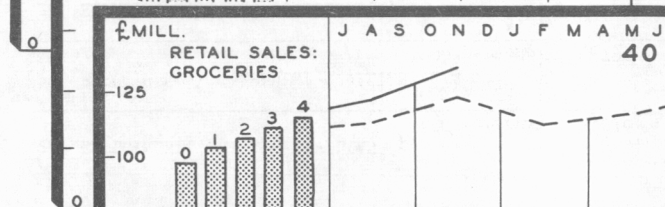
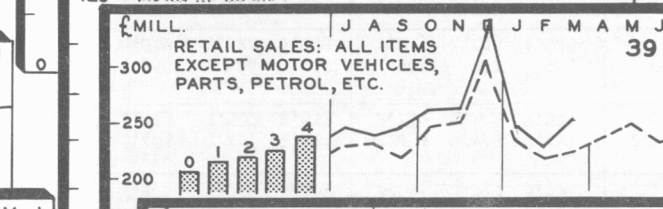
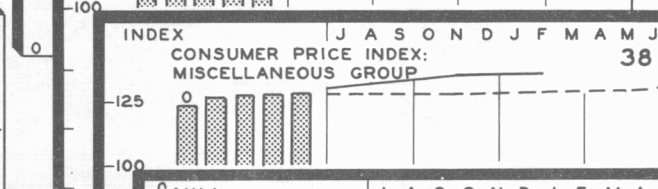
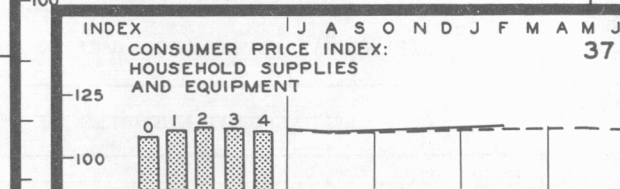
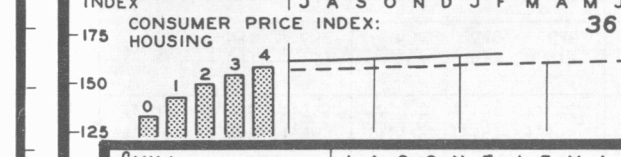
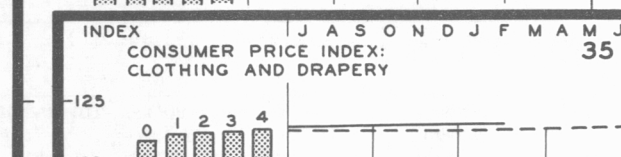
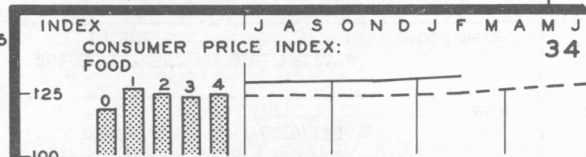
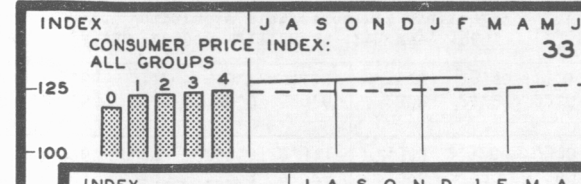
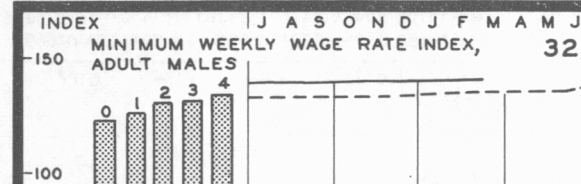
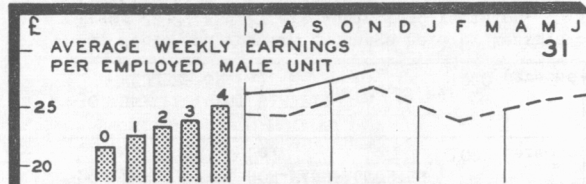
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						1959-60	1960-61	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64		July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June
OVERSEA TRADE																							
16. IMPORTS MERCHANDISE, VALUE	£ mill.	924.5	1,085.3	882.5	1,078.8	1,183.9	1963-64 *1964-65	99.7 116.1	96.3 119.0	89.0 112.1	93.0 123.2	96.6 116.8	90.1 120.8	106.5 126.3	96.4 103.7	92.2 126.2	111.9 118.4	102.8	109.4				
17. EXPORTS MERCHANDISE, VALUE	£ mill.	926.0	928.0	1,067.9	1,069.0	1,381.2	1963-64 *1964-65	116.6 116.8	95.3 90.0	102.3 99.1	115.0 117.6	129.2 114.9	118.4 113.5	121.7 110.3	116.7 103.4	113.0 116.1	118.4 110.4	119.9	114.7				
18. EXPORTS, VALUE AT CONSTANT PRICES, INDEX 1959-60 = 100		100	105	120	117	137	1963-64 *1964-65		129 123			145 141			135 138			139					
19. EXPORT PRICE INDEX, ALL GROUPS 1959-60 = 100		100	95	96	101	*114	1963-64 *1964-65	109 110	107 110	108 109	111 109	118 108	117 104	119 102	120 103	120 100	115	*110	*110				
20. EXPORT PRICE INDEX, ALL GROUPS EXCLUDING WOOL 1959-60 = 100		100	97	96	97	*107	1963-64 *1964-65	104 109	104 109	103 108	105 109	108 110	108 108	110 107	109 106	110 107	109	*111	*108				
21. INTERNATIONAL RESERVES (a)	£ mill.	512	551	561	626	854	1963-64 *1964-65	634 847	645 834	667 837	707 846	754 847	795 825	808 802	829 794	822 745	834 722	865	854				
EMPLOYMENT (b)																							
22. EMPLOYMENT, PRIVATE CIVILIAN (c)	'000 persons	2,276	2,360	2,334	2,421	2,524	1963-64 1964-65	2,458 2,586	2,465 2,592	2,477 2,607	2,496 2,602	2,518 2,639	2,522 2,649	2,526 2,647	2,546 2,672	2,561 2,689	2,565	2,572	2,580				
23. EMPLOYMENT, GOVERNMENT CIVILIAN	'000 persons	795	806	831	847	872	1963-64 1964-65	863 885	863 885	864 884	863 883	865 885	866 887	872 894	880 901	881 903	883	884	884				
24. EMPLOYMENT, TOTAL CIVILIAN (c)	'000 persons	3,071	3,166	3,165	3,268	3,396	1963-64 1964-65	3,321 3,471	3,328 3,477	3,341 3,491	3,359 3,485	3,383 3,524	3,388 3,536	3,398 3,541	3,426 3,573	3,442 3,592	3,448	3,456	3,464				
25. EMPLOYMENT, MALES CIVILIAN (c)	'000	2,223	2,282	2,277	2,342	2,428	1963-64 1964-65	2,380 2,477	2,384 2,479	2,393 2,485	2,403 2,473	2,417 2,500	2,421 2,513	2,433 2,522	2,449 2,538	2,457 2,547	2,463	2,468	2,474				
26. EMPLOYMENT, FEMALES CIVILIAN (c)	'000	848	884	888	926	968	1963-64 1964-65	941 994	944 998	948 1,006	956 1,012	966 1,024	967 1,023	965 1,019	977 1,035	985 1,045	985	988	990				
27. EMPLOYMENT, MANUFACTURING	'000 persons	1,088	1,103	1,081	1,129	1,172	1963-64 1964-65	1,143 1,206	1,146 1,210	1,150 1,215	1,160 1,203	1,165 1,224	1,162 1,225	1,172 1,230	1,187 1,245	1,192 1,254	1,195	1,196	1,201				
28. EMPLOYMENT, LARGER PRIVATE FACILITIES	'000 persons	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	1963-64 1964-65	(d) 624	(d) 626	(d) 627	(d) 622	(d) 631	(d) 632	607 634	617 642	619 646	619 644	620	621				
29. EMPLOYMENT, NON-MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES (c)	'000 persons	1,983	2,063	2,084	2,139	2,224	1963-64 1964-65	2,178 2,265	2,182 2,267	2,191 2,276	2,199 2,282	2,223 2,300	2,226 2,311	2,226 2,311	2,239 2,328	2,250 2,338	2,253	2,260	2,263				
30. UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT, NUMBER ON (e)	'000 persons	20.7	23.0	52.3	38.9	25.0	1963-64 1964-65	37.1 17.4	31.9 14.9	26.6 12.6	22.3 11.2	21.0 10.7	29.6 14.3	28.8 15.8	24.2 13.7	22.0 12.0	19.8 12.3	18.3	18.1				

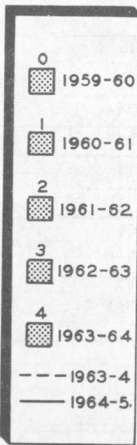
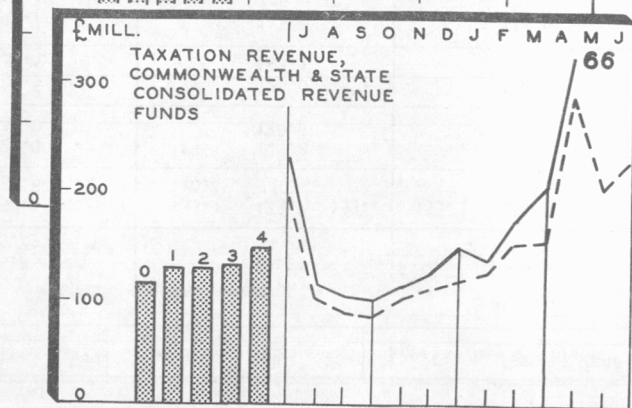
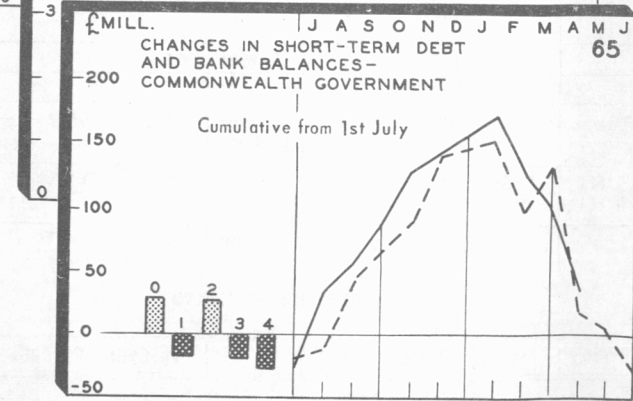
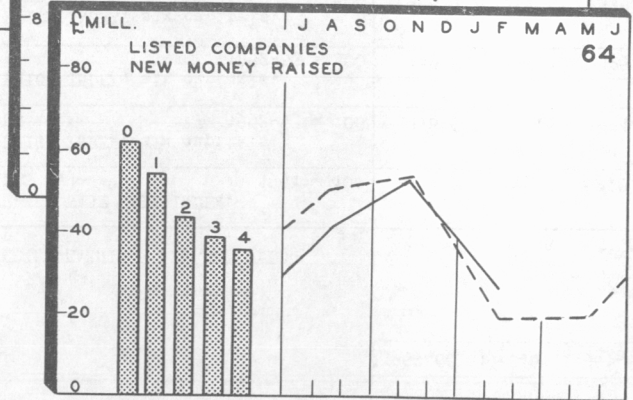
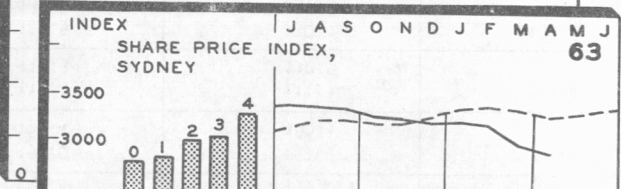
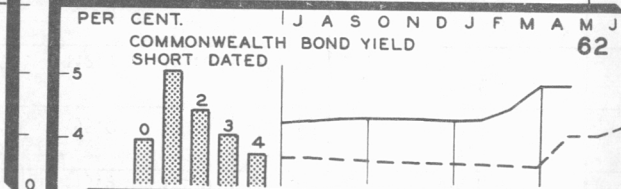
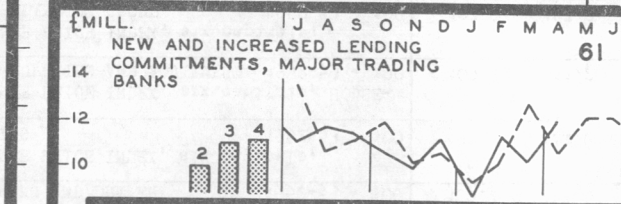
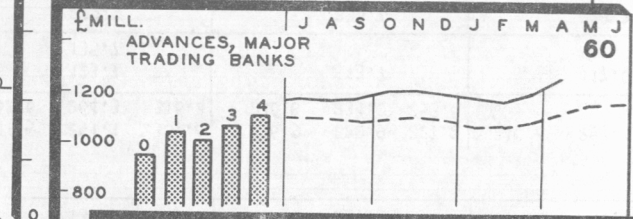
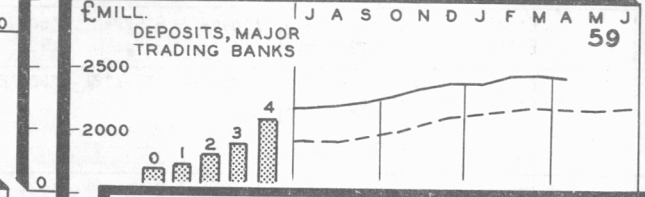
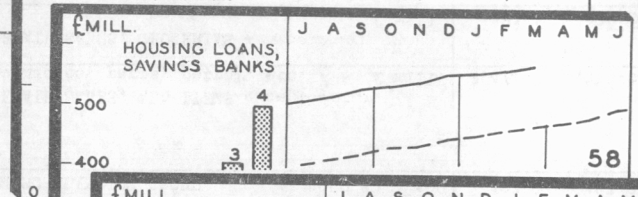
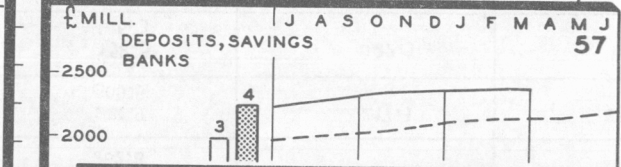
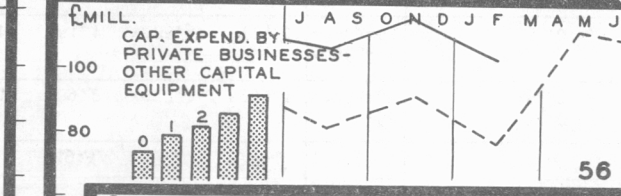
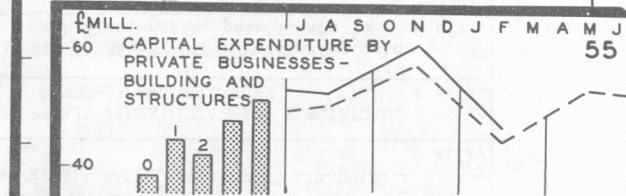
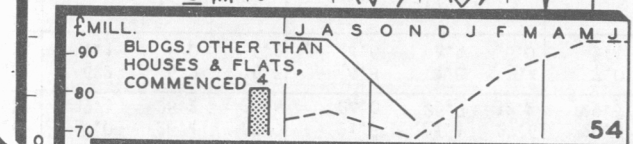
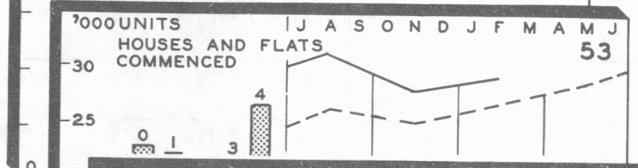
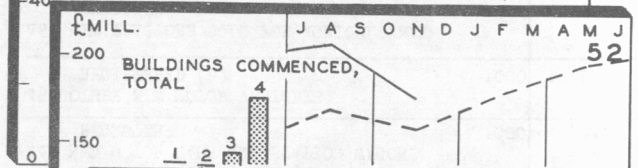
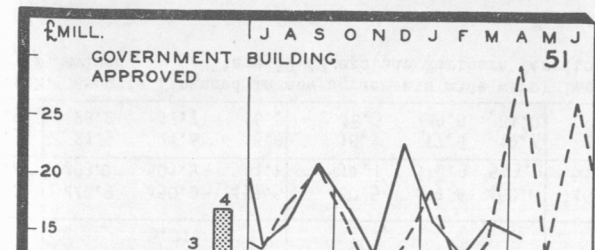
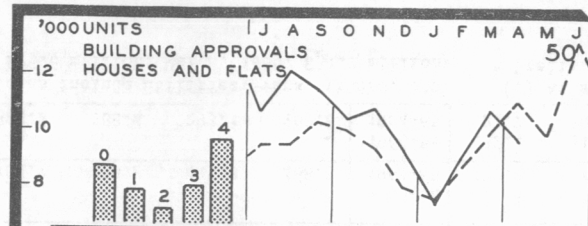
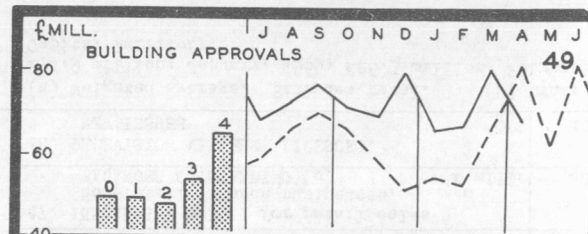
(a) "Gold and Foreign Exchange held by Reserve Bank" was £699.0 million at 31st March, 1965; £678.1 million at 28th April, 1965; and £649.5 million at 12th May, 1965. (b) Figures in Items 22-27 and 29 are subject to revision. (c) Excludes employees in rural industry and in private domestic service. (d) Comparable statistics not available. (e) Last Saturday of month.
 * Preliminary. Ø Revised.



	1959-60	1960-61	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64		July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June
WAGES, RETAIL PRICES																		
31. AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS PER EMPLOYED MALE UNIT £	21.93	22.98	23.62	24.22	25.43	1963-64 1964-65	24.65 26.72			26.85 28.42			24.21				26.02	
32. MINIMUM WEEKLY WAGE RATE INDEX, ADULT MALES (a) 1954 = 100	121.3	125.7	129.5	130.1	133.4	1963-64 1964-65	132.4 139.1	132.6 139.2	132.7 139.3	132.8 139.5	132.8 139.6	132.9 140.1	133.1 140.4	133.7 140.4	133.2	133.3	133.5	138.1
33. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, six capitals, ALL GROUPS 1952-53 = 100	118.9	123.8	124.3	124.5	125.7	1963-64 1964-65	125.1 128.5			125.0 130.0				125.8 130.9			127.0	
34. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, six capitals, FOOD 1952-53 = 100	119.8	127.7	125.5	124.3	126.0	1963-64 1964-65	125.0 130.7			124.5 132.1				126.0 133.1			128.5	
35. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, six capitals, CLOTHING AND DRAPERY 1952-53 = 100	109.4	111.6	112.8	113.2	114.0	1963-64 1964-65	113.7 115.0			113.7 115.4				113.8 115.8			114.6	
36. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, six capitals, HOUSING 1952-53 = 100	135.2	144.8	150.7	155.0	159.6	1963-64 1964-65	157.9 163.0			159.0 164.4				159.9 165.3			161.7	
37. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, six capitals, HOUSEHOLD SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT 1952-53 = 100	109.8	111.2	112.7	112.4	111.0	1963-64 1964-65	110.6 110.7			110.8 111.3				111.1 112.5			111.4	
38. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, six capitals, MISCELLANEOUS GROUP 1952-53 = 100	123.9	127.3	128.1	128.8	129.9	1963-64 1964-65	129.7 133.1			129.5 136.5				130.1 137.3			130.3	
INTERNAL TRADE																		
39. RETAIL SALES, ALL ITEMS except motor vehicles, parts, petrol, etc. / £ mill.	2,472.5	2,586.5	2,628.6	*2,749.4	*2,912.0	*1963-64 *1964-65	231.4 249.8	235.3 243.9	224.1 247.7	245.5 262.6	251.1 264.3	307.4 346.4	236.9 246.8	222.9 231.0	227.2 253.8	240.4	253.1	236.7
40. RETAIL SALES, GROCERIES / £ mill.	391.1	416.5	429.2	*445.8	*469.7	*1963-64 *1964-65		115.3 123.3			123.7 135.7			113.7			117.0	
41. RETAIL SALES, OTHER FOOD AND DRINK / £ mill.	791.1	832.6	849.1	*890.6	*924.2	*1963-64 *1964-65		219.3 234.2			242.9 262.8			233.7			228.3	
42. RETAIL SALES, CLOTHING, ELECTRICAL, HARDWARE AND FURNITURE / £ mill.	878.3	894.0	889.2	*927.1	*995.1	*1963-64 *1964-65		234.0 252.9			284.9 308.5			217.3			258.9	
43. RETAIL SALES, OTHER (excluding motor vehicles, parts, petrol, etc.) / £ mill.	412.0	443.4	461.1	*485.9	*523.0	*1963-64 *1964-65		122.2 131.0			152.5 166.3			122.3			126.0	
44. NEW MOTOR CARS AND STATION WAGONS REGISTERED '000	224.1	223.1	215.9	284.9	329.3	1963-64 1964-65	29.7 31.1	27.8 29.7	28.6 28.2	30.0 29.3	28.4 26.2	27.0 30.6	21.6 24.0	24.4 25.7	27.6 32.2	29.8 29.6	27.4	27.0
45. OTHER NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED (b) '000	68.9	59.0	52.1	60.1	70.8	1963-64 1964-65	6.2 7.2	5.5 6.4	5.7 7.2	6.2 7.1	6.2 6.0	5.5 6.2	4.8 4.6	4.8 4.9	5.4 6.0	7.0 5.4	6.7	6.8
46. NEW TRACTORS SOLD FOR AGRICULTURAL PURPOSES No.	18,425	15,719	15,632	16,741	*21,640	*1963-64 *1964-65		4,591 5,232			5,545 5,216			5,123			6,381	
47. INSTALMENT CREDIT for retail sales Non-retail finance businesses, BALANCES OUTSTANDING (c) £ mill.	406.8	401.7	378.2	415.8	468.5	1963-64 1964-65	421.1 472.8	427.2 477.1	434.2 484.4	440.9 493.0	450.2 501.5	457.5 511.1	460.5 514.1	459.6 513.3	460.6 513.3	462.9 516	466.5	468.5
48. TELEVISION VIEWERS' LICENCES, NEW ISSUES '000	403.8	323.2	288.4	293.1	269.6	1963-64 1964-65	32.4 27.7	31.0 30.7	22.9 32.9	21.5 28.2	21.6 17.7	15.8 16.8	18.1 16.3	17.6 19.8	19.7 21.0	23.1	21.9	24.0

(a) Weighted average. Excludes rural. (b) Other new vehicles include utilities, vans, trucks, etc. £34.9 million; January, 1965, £26.3 million; February, 1965, £25.6 million; March, 1965, £31.2 million. Capital Territory.

(c) At end of month. Amounts financed in new agreements made were: December, 1964, * Preliminary. Ø Revised. / Items 39-43 exclude Northern Territory and Australian



		1959-60	1960-61	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64		July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June
BUILDING, ETC.																			
49. BUILDING APPROVALS	£ mill.	603.7	602.1	586.0	658.2	786.1	1963-64 1964-65	60.4 69.4	69.4 73.9	71.0 78.2	67.3 72.1	60.3 70.4	51.9 80.8	55.9 66.9	53.8 68.2	66.7 81.9	83.0 69.7	63.5	82.9
50. BUILDING APPROVALS, HOUSES AND FLATS	'000 units	103.8	93.6	84.8	94.4	116.4	1963-64 1964-65	9.5 10.7	9.5 12.1	10.3 11.4	10.0 10.4	9.2 10.8	7.9 9.2	7.5 7.4	8.7 9.0	9.8 10.7	11.0 9.6	9.8	13.2
51. GOVERNMENT BUILDING APPROVED	£ mill.	115.8	133.9	140.7	156.0	205.3	1963-64 1964-65	13.8 13.6	17.7 16.1	20.5 20.8	15.9 17.2	10.3 13.2	13.6 23.0	18.8 16.1	10.8 13.2	14.9 16.4	29.6 14.8	13.1	26.3
52. BUILDINGS COMMENCED, TOTAL	£ mill.	523.9	552.0	543.8	577.5	707.3	1963-64 1964-65		170.2 208.1			158.6 177.6			180.9			197.6	
53. HOUSES AND FLATS COMMENCED	'000 units	91.3	88.9	82.5	88.3	107.6	1963-64 1964-65		26.6 31.3			25.4 28.0			26.8 29.2			28.8	
54. BUILDINGS, OTHER THAN HOUSES AND FLATS, COMMENCED	£ mill.	231.3	252.8	263.7	271.4	325.7	1963-64 1964-65		76.1 94.3			69.0 74.5			86.1			94.5	
55. CAPITAL EXPENDITURE BY PRIVATE BUSINESSES Buildings and structures (a)	£ mill.	152.1	177.1	169.2	190.7	206.7	1963-64 1964-65		50.5 52.8	(118.0 anticipated) (124.0 anticipated)	57.5 61.4			45.1 47.4	(123.9 anticipated) (120.0 anticipated)			53.6	
56. CAPITAL EXPENDITURE BY PRIVATE BUSINESSES Other Capital Equipment (a)	£ mill.	294.4	315.9	326.0	342.1	365.1	1963-64 1964-65		83.0 106.3	(178.1 anticipated) (225.5 anticipated)	92.2 126.6			77.6 103.7	(181.8 anticipated) (245.9 anticipated)			112.3	
FINANCE																			
57. DEPOSITS, SAVINGS BANKS	£ mill.	1,523	1,578	1,735	1,970	2,238	1963-64 1964-65	2,004 2,268	2,024 2,298	2,043 2,322	2,080 2,342	2,096 2,352	2,113 2,367	2,130 2,375	2,151 2,391	2,160 2,391	2,173	2,187	2,238
58. HOUSING LOANS, SAVINGS BANKS	£ mill.	272	306	339	397	499	1963-64 1964-65	404 508	412 516	419 525	427 532	435 539	447 550	451 553	459 558	468 567	476	484	499
59. DEPOSITS, MAJOR TRADING BANKS	£ mill.	1,708	1,729	1,807	1,904	2,093	1963-64 1964-65	1,937 2,195	1,932 2,206	1,957 2,244	2,008 2,276	2,060 2,337	2,113 2,389	2,151 2,375	2,184 2,437	2,214 2,450	2,209 2,413	2,178	2,189
60. ADVANCES, MAJOR TRADING BANKS	£ mill.	952	1,050	1,002	1,061	1,106	1963-64 1964-65	1,108 1,184	1,104 1,179	1,088 1,180	1,100 1,206	1,104 1,209	1,098 1,193	1,071 1,181	1,069 1,171	1,089 1,199	1,128 1,262	1,153	1,167
61. NEW AND INCREASED LENDING COMMITMENTS, MAJOR TRADING BANKS	£ mill.	(b)	(b)	10.0	11.0	11.2	1963-64 1964-65	13.6 11.1	10.8 11.7	11.3 11.6	12.0 10.7	10.4 10.0	10.8 11.4	9.4 8.8	10.4 11.6	12.9 10.4	10.8 12.2	12.4	12.4
62. COMMONWEALTH BOND YIELD, SHORT DATED per cent.		4.01	5.06	4.45	4.08	3.79	1963-64 1964-65	3.75 4.30	3.73 4.34	3.68 4.35	3.66 4.35	3.66 4.36	3.64 4.35	3.64 4.36	3.61 4.50	3.63 4.85	4.13 4.85	4.15	4.23
63. SHARE PRICE INDEX, SYDNEY (c)		2,718	2,787	2,949	2,988	3,254	1963-64 1964-65	3,104 3,378	3,220 3,364	3,222 3,314	3,173 3,238	3,170 3,222	3,254 3,203	3,333 3,208	3,358 3,136	3,328 2,934	3,270 2,852	3,282	3,333
64. LISTED COMPANIES, NEW MONEY RAISED	£ mill.	248.3	218.9	175.8	167.2	145.9	1963-64 1964-65		50.8 41.9			54.9 *54.8			19.4 28			20.8	
65. CHANGES IN SHORT-TERM DEBT AND BANK BALANCES - COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT Cumulative from 1st July	£ mill.	28.9	-15.8	27.0	-16.1	-27.7	1963-64 1964-65	-8.3 36.7	47.3 56.5	65.8 86.0	93.4 130.2	141.3 143.3	147.0 155.4	152.7 172.2	97.5 124.9	128.5 103.1	18.0 35.0	6.6	-27.7
66. TAXATION REVENUE, COMMONWEALTH AND STATE Consolidated Revenue Funds	£ mill.	1,360	1,543	1,539	1,572	1,759	1963-64 1964-65	101.5 112.3	89.3 102.2	84.9 99.1	101.7 112.0	108.4 123.5	118.4 149.0	125.2 135.2	153.0 174.5	157.1 206.6	286.7 *322.7	203.1	229.8

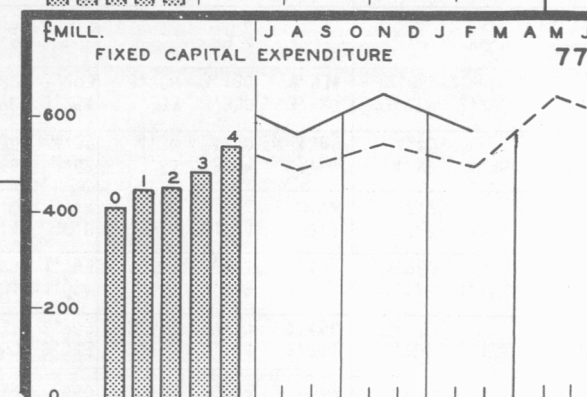
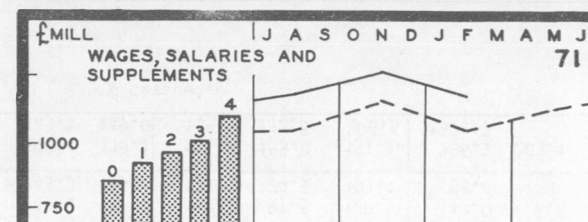
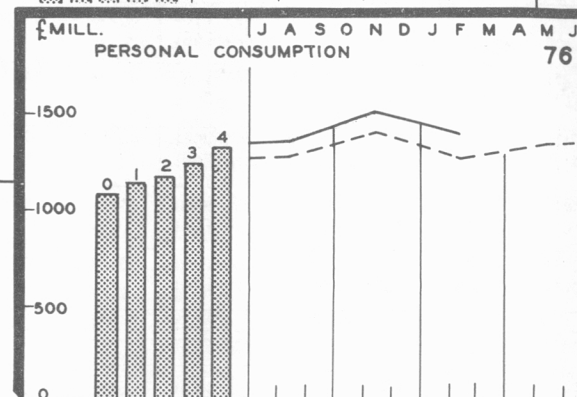
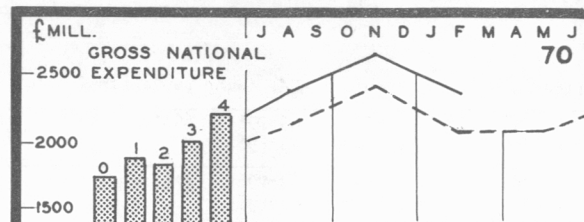
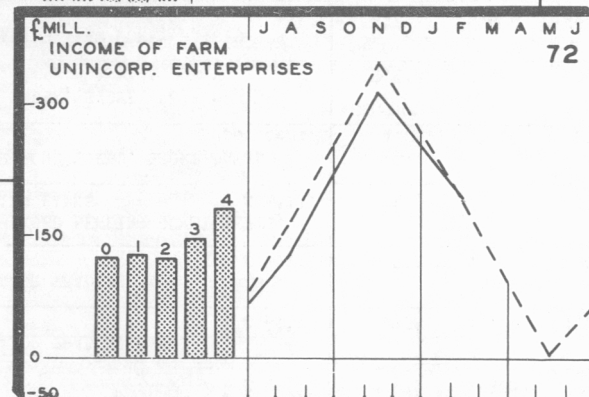
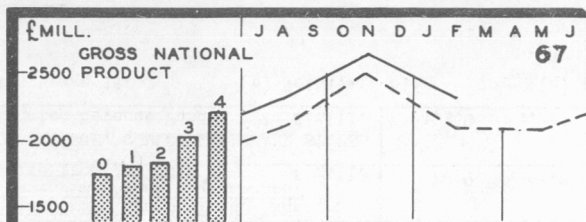
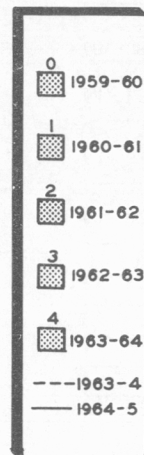
(a) See notes, page 11.

(b) Not available.

(c) Average, three years ended June, 1939 = 1,000.

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NATIONAL ACCOUNTS

67. GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT	£ mill.	6,886	7,256	7,392	7,976	8,762	1963-64	2,120		2,483		2,094		2,065
							1964-65	2,299		2,634		2,300		
68. <u>plus</u> IMPORTS OF GOODS AND SERVICES	£ mill.	1,132	1,290	1,090	1,289	1,406	1963-64	336		328		353		389
							1964-65	410		416		425		
69. <u>less</u> EXPORTS OF GOODS AND SERVICES	£ mill.	1,059	1,071	1,216	1,223	1,556	1963-64	355		406		399		396
							1964-65	350		392		375		
70. GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE	£ mill.	6,959	7,475	7,266	8,042	8,612	1963-64	2,101		2,405		2,048		2,058
							1964-65	2,359		2,658		2,350		
71. WAGES, SALARIES AND SUPPLEMENTS	£ mill.	3,443	3,710	3,823	4,036	4,388	1963-64	1,047		1,163		1,050		1,128
							1964-65	1,185		1,279		1,180		
72. INCOME OF FARM UNINCORPORATED ENTERPRISES	£ mill.	482	494	465	557	733	1963-64	168		362		193		10
							1964-65	138		315		194		
73. OTHER PERSONAL INCOME	£ mill.	1,373	1,454	1,539	1,624	1,742	1963-64	394		469		386		493
							1964-65	428		508		406		
74. <u>less</u> INCOME TAX PAYABLE and estate and gift duties	£ mill.	491	555	549	606	698	1963-64	162		209		164		163
							1964-65	185		230		188		
75. PERSONAL DISPOSABLE INCOME	£ mill.	4,807	5,103	5,278	5,611	6,165	1963-64	1,447		1,785		1,465		1,468
							1964-65	1,566		1,872		1,592		
76. PERSONAL CONSUMPTION	£ mill.	4,359	4,600	4,731	5,036	5,370	1963-64	1,299		1,418		1,285		1,368
							1964-65	1,391		1,533		1,399		
77. FIXED CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	£ mill.	1,657	1,791	1,804	1,947	2,176	1963-64	491		548		495		642
							1964-65	566		644		570		

EXPLANATORY NOTES

For further details of these items see publications listed on page 12.

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